GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Home Department – Allegation of corruption against Sri Ch.Srirama Koteswara Rao, (f) SIoP, Pithapuram P.S., East Godavari District – Trapped on 05.04.1999 – Prosecution sanctioned – Acquitted from Trial Court in CC.No.90/2000 – Criminal Appeal filed in High Court Crl. Appeal No.1388/2006 - Dismissed by High Court – No grounds to file SLP - Representation of AO – Examined – Further Action Dropped – Orders – Issued

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HOME (SC.A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 1182 **Dated: 19-11-2024**

Read the following:

1. From the Director General, ACB, A.P., Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No.65/ RCT- REG/99, dt:22.04.1999 &10.09.1999.
2. G.O.Ms.No.128, Home(SC.A) Department, dt.29.05.2000.
3. Orders of Hon'ble Spl. Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, Vijayawada in CC.No.90/2000, dt.16.03.2006.
4. Orders of Hon'ble High Court of AP in Crl. Appeal No.1388/2006, dt.06.11.2023.
5. From the Director General, ACB, A.P., Vijayawada, Lr.Rc.No.65/ RCT- REG/99, dt.14.08.2024.
6. Sri Ch.Srirama Koteswara Rao, (f) SIoP, East Godavari District, now DSP, District Special Branch, Kakinada, dt.Nil.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 1st read above, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad has informed that Sri Ch.Sreerama Koteswara Rao was trapped on 05.04.1999 when he demanded and accepted the bribe amount of Rs.2,000/- from the Complainant. Accordingly, Govt. have issued orders to prosecute the Accused Officer in a court of law vide reference 2nd read above. Subsequently, the DG, ACB, AP has filed charge sheet before the Hon'ble Spl. Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, Vijayawada on 10.07.2000 vide CC 90/2000.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Hon'ble Spl. Judge for SPE & ACB Cases, Vijayawada pronounced judgement that the AO was acquitted u/s 248 (1) Cr.P.C. The ACB, AP has filed the Crl. Appeal on 10.08.2006 before the Hon'ble High Court against the Acquittal orders of Trial Court vide Crl. Appeal No.1388/2006.

3. In the reference 4th read above, the Hon'ble High Court of AP in its orders dated 06.11.2023 in Crl.Appeal No.1388/2006 has dismissed the appeal filed by the Bureau by confirming the acquittal orders of the trail court. In the reference 5th read above, the Bureau has opinioned that there are no grounds to prefer an SLP in the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India against the orders of the Hon'ble High Court.

4. Govt. have dropped further action against Sri Ch.Srirama Koteswara Rao, (f) SIoP, Pithapuram P.S., East Godavari District, as the charge held not proved in departmental enquiry vide G.O.Rt.No.679, Home(SC.A) Dept., dt.28.07.2021.

5. In the reference 6th read above, the Accused Officer Sri Ch.Srirama Koteswara Rao, (f) SIoP, Pithapuram P.S. now DSP, DSB, Kakinada has requested to drop further action duly treating the suspension period from 24.04.1999 to 24.11.2001 as on duty, as he was acquitted in trail court and Hon'ble HIgh Court of A.P.

6. Government after careful examination, hereby order to drop further disciplinary proceedings against the Accused Officer Sri Ch.Srirama Koteswara Rao, (f) SIoP, Pithapuram Police Station, East Godavari District, now working as Deputy Superintendent of Police, District Special Branch, Kakinada, duly treating the suspension period from 24.04.1999 to 24.11.2001 as on duty, as he was acquitted from the Trial Court in CC No.90/2000 and the same was confirmed by the Hon'ble High Court beyond reasonable doubt vide Crl.Appeal No.1388/2006 and no grounds to file SLP in the Supreme Court of India.

7. The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

KUMAR VISHWAJEET
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director General of Police, AP, Mangalagiri.
Sri Ch.Srirama Koteswara Rao, DSP, District Special Branch, Kakinada
t**hrough** Director General of Police, AP, Mangalagiri.
Copy to:
The Director General, ACB, Vijayawada.
The Commissioner, APVC, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.
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